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THE "RED HEADED" NEWS-PAPERS.

The Wilmington Star and The News and Observer are not only together in preaching Pure Democracy, but both get red-headed when occasion calls for fire-works. Yesterday's Star printed in red ink a beautiful eagle, with the words "A Wilmington Welcome to the Firemen and Visitors." A Wilmington welcome means a hearty, cordial, feel-at-home sort of time and the firemen are to be envied.—News and Observer.

We are glad to welcome these esteemed contemporaries to the circle of strictly modern newspapers, but would have them remember that the Hustler stands first on the list of the red-headed variety in the State, and resents the intimation in the above that the News and Observer and the Wilmington Star are "the whole show." This paper came out "red-headed" more than a year ago and, therefore, leads the procession "away yander." And recently, upon the occasion of "red-headed" Judge Parker's visit to Hendersonville, the Hustler extended a "red-headed" welcome to that distinguished jurist and the North Carolina Bar Association. Yet we are to be deprived of this innovation in newspaper circles by an insignificant little sheet published at the State capital. Verily, the limit has been reached and if this "punch in the ribs" does not have the desired effect upon the offending brother, we shall try our hand on a few front teeth.—"Right is right."

LET THERE BE FAIR PLAY.

This newspaper has no patience with the attempt of republican press correspondents to discredit democratic office-holders by trying to impeach their records in scurrilous articles, for the independent and republican publications in North Carolina to parade before the public for political effect. It is even more distasteful to see a few democratic papers falling into the error of giving countenance to this "pernicious radical activity" in matters with which republicans have no sort of business and should not interfere. We have in mind some representatives from this State, in the lower house congress, who have lately been the victims of persistent and mischievous onslaughts at the hands of individuals who always got their full length in the abuse of democratic officials and the policies for which they stand. These representatives have been serving their constituents for several years receiving a re-nomination at the close of each succeeding term, without opposition. Yet these republicans would have the public believe them unworthy of the trust imposed in them by their own people, and hold up their hands in holy horror at the suggestion of either of them being elevated to high State positions of trust and honor. To say these gentlemen are not faithfully representing their constituents is equivalent to charging that the people who elevated them to, and have long been continuing them in, these honored positions are incapable of selecting competent officials to transact their public affairs, notwithstanding the fact that one of the districts referred to contains a greater population and more wealth than any other in the State. The idea is ridiculous and will be resented by fair-minded men in either party. There is not a district in North Carolina that would repeatedly return a man to congress who had failed to "make good" in a representative capacity, or as a man.

We have not been requested to speak for these or any other capable democratic officials, who have been subjected to similar "indig-

nities" for like purposes, by designing individuals, in the hope of creating dissensions in the ranks of the democratic party. The point we have in mind is that the effort of republicans to discredit competent and deserving democratic officials should be discouraged. We cannot expect to attract support for our friends by encouraging the abuse of rivals in our own party and democrats who have the interest of their organization at heart will not acquiesce in any suggestion which is not consistent with this idea of propriety in the matter under consideration. It is a pleasure to say that the democracy of this section disapproves, most emphatically, of any effort to impeach the past official records of democrats, who have long been in the service of their people, simply because they are seeking additional honors. Our folks recognize merit in any man and are perfectly willing that all of their deserving sons, who may seek political preferment at the hands of the democracy of the State, shall stand or fall upon their just deserts. They believe in a fair, open contest and the employment of honorable means only in presenting the claims of any and all candidates for public position. Striking below the belt is not one of their characteristics and they do not endorse foul methods employed by any party or individual for any purpose, either personal or political. The covert attacks upon prominent democratic office-holders, by republican newspaper correspondents recently, has been without the slightest provocation, so far as we are advised, and democrats do not hesitate to denounce the nefarious practice as unwarranted and malicious. The idea advanced by a few people that the aforesaid slanders were inspired by democrats, in the hope of advancing the candidacy of Mr. Craig for Governor, is far from being correct. Neither that gentlemen or any of his friends have preferred charges against either of his opponents; nor does he believe them to be other than high-toned Christian gentlemen and deserving democrats.

Reports of the recent speeches that have been delivered by some politicians and aspirants, for public office, indicates that they are endeavoring to divide the democrats of the State into "radicals" and "conservatives." Such a proposition as this should meet with emphatic disapproval in democratic circles everywhere throughout this good State from Murphy to Manteo, whether the suggestion is made by Kitchen, Craig, Horne, Daniels, Caldwell, or any other individual or newspaper. There is absolutely no valid reason for an attempted division in the ranks of the democratic party in North Carolina at this time and every democrat ought to desist from making any reference to a possible condition which, if it should become an actuality, would bode no good to the party now in control of public affairs in the State. Candidates for office cannot win upon opposition alone. The day has come when merit counts for something and the man who appeal to prejudice will, sooner or later, find that he has miscalculated the temper of the people. The interests of the democratic party and the public at large are more important than the personal ambition of any individual, be he "radical" or conservative." We like all the various candidates personally and hope they may see their way clear hereafter to discuss issues and leave factionalism out of the calculation.

Last week we promised our readers to publish the address delivered by the editor at the Press Association in Morehead City, but finding that about four columns of space would be occupied in reporting it in full, the idea was abandoned at that time. This week the "speaker" was in town and said "nit."

The Glenn presidential boom seems "happy on the way." The Governor would measure up to all the requirements and we are for him if he wants the job. He is "all wool and a yard wide."

The 2-1-4 cent passenger rate law is now in effect.

LOST—A gold locket with photograph. Reward if returned to Dr. Scheppegrell, Hendersonville, or the Hustler office.

An Apology.

On account of the telegraphers strike our Associated Press dispatches today are a little brief.

THE WRECK

Train No. 8 on the Tokaway line was wrecked Wednesday, near Brevard, on its way up. The rails spread and all the cars left the track, one turning completely over. The engine remained on the track. Although the cars were well loaded, no one was killed or seriously injured. Less than half a dozen were hurt. Many local people were on the train, and Miss Fullbright, of this city, a passenger, had the odd experience of seeing the car in front of her turn completely over.

Among the local people injured were: Mrs. J. Huston, sister of Mrs. Steven Brown, arm broken in two places and three ribs broken. She is unable to be removed from Brevard. Mrs. Kingsbury, Wilmington, a guest at the Aspen Cottage, W. R. Brown, from Spartanburg.

The wreck near Saluda, yesterday evening, blocked the line a couple of hours, and held up two excursion trains.

Wednesday a mountain of baggage was unloaded at the depot. Train No. 9 came in three sections, as did No. 13. The "Seashore to the Mountains" excursion was responsible for it.

The town is full of people. There must be almost as many visitors here now as there were last year.

Chickens find a ready sale at 30, 35 and 40 cents. Butter at 25c, creamery at 35c. All market produce is in good demand at fair prices.

Mrs. Haas.

Mrs. Caroline Hook Haas, wife of Louis Haas died Thursday, July 25, at her home in Hendersonville, N. C., after an illness of fourteen months, with a complication of diseases. The funeral services were held Saturday from the family residence, interment being in the Hendersonville cemetery.

Mrs. Haas was the daughter of Captain Gilman Hook, of Boston and was born in Roxbury, Mass., July 13, 1830.

For the past eight years she has been a resident of Hendersonville. Besides her husband, Mrs. Haas is survived by two sons, Joseph Neustaedter, of East Orange, N. J., and Ellis Neustaedter, of Rochester, N. Y., and by two daughters, Mrs. Robert Graham, of East Orange, N. J., and Miss Josephine Haas, of Hendersonville.

Mrs. Haas was in many respects an unusual woman, possessing an intellectual force, a goodness of heart and a charm of manner and person which she retained to the last and which made her beloved and admired by those who enjoyed her friendship. To other accomplishments was added a literary ability which manifested itself in a novel "The White Slave of the North," which enjoyed a wide popularity. In a general way, her death is a loss which the community can ill afford while to those who knew and loved her, it is one which is beyond the power of words to express.

To Watt Bryson Camp U. C. V.

We beg to chronicle the passing of the river of another comrade.

Mc Bowman died at his home in Hendersonville, N. C., on the 14th day of May, 1907, at the age of 72 years and was buried by friends and comrades at Patty's Chapel, N. C. Mc Bowman was a faithful and courageous soldier in Co. I, 16th N. C. Reg. in the Confederate army, and was southern to the core.

We are thus warned that our number is rapidly becoming less and that ere long none will be left to report the last.

We recommend that this be spread upon the minutes, published in the city papers and a copy sent to the family.

S. V. PICKENS, Chairman.
June 1st, 1907.

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NEWS OF THE TOWN

Miss Clawson, of Charleston, is visiting the Misses Sindorf.

Mrs. Parker, of Knoxville, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fullbright.

Mrs. Burt and daughter, of Wilmington are visiting friends here.

Mrs. B. D. Gullick, a most estimable lady, died Wednesday night, at the age of 87 years.

J. D. Artley, who has been in town for the past two months, has returned to Savannah.

D. C. Barrow, president of the Carolina State Bank, of Saluda, was in town Wednesday on business.

Mrs. Walter Kingsbury, and Mrs. Harold, with four children of Wilmington, are guests at the Aspen Cottage.

The hotels are getting filled to the limit. It is worthy of remark that each year a better (financially) class of people come to Hendersonville.

The "Summer Home," Mrs. Freeman and Hesterly's boarding house haadeflightful accommodations for a few more guests. Located on Washington Ave.

Mrs. Annie Martin, of Wilmington, is a guest of Mrs. Steven Brown. Mrs. Brown recently lost a Masonic pin here belonging at one time to her father, for which she offers a liberal reward.

Dr. L. B. Morse has a series of beautiful views of his well known Mountain-side Park which are handsomely framed and hung in prominent public places. The photographs gives one a faint idea of nature at her best, as she seems to be at Mountainside.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Seawell will leave the end of the week for Marietta, Ga. Mr. Seawell has sold the ice and laundry plant to C. R. Whittaker, of Asheville. During Mr. Seawell's residence in this city he has made many friends, who sincerely regret his decision to leave. Hendersonville cannot have too many additions to its citizenship of men like Mr. J. B. Seawell, and cannot afford to lose them once here.

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See the Red Store's lines of hand painted Salad Bowls.

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FOR SALE—A General Store on the Murphy branch of the Southern R'y, doing a good business—owner in other business reason for selling.

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Mrs. A. E. Posey's ad on the first page will be of interest to all readers of this paper.

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